

## **MAINE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION 2007 SUPERINTENDENT OF THE YEAR**

### **Larry Littlefield**

Larry Littlefield, Superintendent of Schools in Kittery, has been selected as Maine's 2007 Superintendent of the Year.

Superintendent Littlefield was selected by a committee of colleagues comprised of former Superintendent of the Year recipients, MSSA Officers and Regional Presidents.

Superintendent Littlefield has been in Maine public education for over thirty-seven years. Prior to becoming Superintendent of Schools in Kittery in 1996, he served as Superintendent in School Union #44/CSD #915 for four years and Assistant Superintendent in School Union #51 for two years. He was also principal of Saco Middle School for seven years and Principal of Richmond Junior/Senior High School for six years. Superintendent Littlefield began his career in education as a biology teacher at Cony High School for eight years.

Superintendent Littlefield has been an active member of the Maine School Superintendents Association and currently serves as Past President. He has also served on many statewide committees impacting K-12 public education.

Superintendent Littlefield has presented at numerous conferences and workshops throughout the state and at the national level. He has served as President of Maine ASCD, President of the York County Superintendents Association, and President of the Southern Maine Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa. He is also a member of the Kittery Rotary Club, the Berwick Academy Alumni Council, and has served on the Board of Directors for Child Development Services.

He will now advance as Maine's representative for the 2007 National Superintendent of the Year competition. In December, a National Blue Ribbon Panel will convene to select four finalists from among state winners. The 2007 National Superintendent of the Year will be named at the American Association of School Administrators National Conference on Education in New Orleans, Louisiana, in March.

Superintendent Littlefield joins a distinguished group of previous recipients of the Maine Superintendent of the Year, including former Commissioners of Education Leo Martin and J. Duke Albanese, current Commissioner Susan Gendron, and the 2006 recipient Sandra Bernstein, Superintendent of Schools in MSAD #10 and #27, Fort Kent.